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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Jonathan G. Sterrett
PAUL STOXEN, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 3623
Application No.: 10/071,615)	
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Filed: February 5, 2002)	
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For: ELECTRONIC ACQUISITION SYSTEM))	
AND METHOD	:	July 17, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

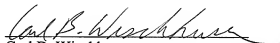
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2006, Applicants elect, without traverse, to proceed initially with prosecution of Group I (Claims 1-18, and 19).

An early and favorable examination of all claims on the merits is respectfully requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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